

PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD

Effective January 1, 2003

Application or Docket Number

10630950
D6401 USA

CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)
TOTAL CLAIMS	29	
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS	24 minus 20 =	* 4
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6 minus 3 =	* 3
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT <input type="checkbox"/>		

* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

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	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total	* 22	Minus ** 24	=
Independent	* 9	Minus *** 6	= 3
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>			

SMALL ENTITY TYPE ☐

OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

RATE	FEE		RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE	375.00	OR	BASIC FEE	750.00
X\$ 9=		OR	X\$18=	72
X42=		OR	X84=	252
+140=		OR	+280=	
TOTAL		OR	TOTAL	1074

SMALL ENTITY

OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=		OR	X\$18=	
X42=		OR	X84=	600
+140=		OR	+280=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		OR	TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	600

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total	*	Minus **	=
Independent	*	Minus ***	=
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>			

RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=		OR	X\$18=	
X42=		OR	X84=	
+140=		OR	+280=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		OR	TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total	*	Minus **	=
Independent	*	Minus ***	=
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <input type="checkbox"/>			

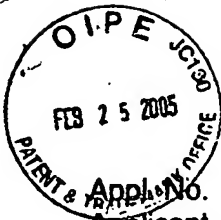
RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=		OR	X\$18=	
X42=		OR	X84=	
+140=		OR	+280=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		OR	TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

* If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3.

** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, enter "20."

*** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, enter "3."

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in column 1.



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/630,950 : Confirmation No.: 1784
Applicant : C. E. Lucas et al
Filed : July 30, 2003
For : Utilization of Bogdown of Single-Shaft Gas Turbines to Minimize
Relief Flows in Baseload LNG Plants

Art Unit : 3744
Examiner : R. L. Leung

Docket No. : 06401 USA
Customer No. : 23543

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

Sir:

The following is responsive to the Office Action dated September 24, 2004:

- ☐ Amendments to the Specification begin on page _____ of this paper.
- ☒ Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- ☐ Amendments to the Drawings begin on page _____ of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet(s).
- ☐ Amendments to the Abstract are on page _____ of this paper. A clean version of the Abstract is on page _____ of this paper.
- ☒ Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

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Based upon the above arguments, Applicants submit that the Examiner has not established a clear case of non-patentability of Claims 2, 3, 5, 9-12, 14, 15, 17, and 21-24 under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) over Swenson in view of Gladden, and request that the rejection be withdrawn.

Summary

In view of the amendments and arguments presented above, it is submitted that Claims 2, 3, 5-7, 9-12, 14, 15, 17, and 21-24 are patentable over cited prior art. Claims 18 and 19 have been amended as recommended by the Examiner and are in form for allowance. Examination of new Claims 25-27 is requested and allowance is anticipated. Accordingly, a timely Notice of Allowance for Claims 2, 3, 5-7, 9-12, 14, 15, 17-19, and 21-27 is requested.

Applicants will amend the Specification and Abstract of the Disclosure after final allowance of the claims in order to place the Specification and Abstract of the Disclosure in harmony with the claims as amended (MPEP 1302.01).

Prior art made of record and not relied upon is acknowledged.

Respectfully submitted,



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